

Commercial Recordings Filing Statistics				
Fiscal Year-to-Date through March 2016				
New Entity Formations				
	YTD 3/31/15	YTD 3/31/16	Difference	% Change
Limited Liability Companies	29,820	30,717	897	3.0%
Corporations	12,274	7,856	-4,418	-36.0%
Other Entities	2,259	2,142	-117	-5.2%
Total	44,353	40,715	-3,638	-8.2%
Initial/Annual Lists of Officers				
	YTD 3/31/15	YTD 3/31/16	Difference	% Change
Initial Lists	41,916	38,125	-3,791	-9.0%
Annual Lists	215,396	213,169	-2,227	-1.0%
Total	257,312	251,294	-6,018	-2.3%
State Business Licenses				
Title 7				
	YTD 3/31/15	YTD 3/31/16	Difference	% Change
LLCs and Other Entities*	151,622	154,883	3,261	2.2%
Corporations*	84,899	72,836	-12,063	-14.2%
Total	236,521	227,719	-8,802	-3.7%
Non-Title 7 (Sole Proprietors and Partnerships)				
	YTD 3/31/15	YTD 3/31/16	Difference	% Change
New	9,634	12,289	2,655	27.6%
Renew	14,730	17,427	2,697	18.3%
Total	24,364	29,716	5,352	22.0%
Title 7 and Non-Title 7				
Total Business Licenses	260,885	257,435	-3,450	-1.3%
Active Entities				
Active Title 7 Entities				
	YTD 3/31/15	YTD 3/31/16	Difference	% Change
Limited Liability Companies	163,765	176,223	12,458	7.6%
Corporations	127,659	121,967	-5,692	-4.5%
Other Entities	12,743	12,239	-504	-4.0%
Total	304,167	310,429	6,262	2.1%
Active Non-Title 7				
	YTD 3/31/15	YTD 3/31/16	Difference	% Change
Sole Proprietors	38,694	42,627	3,933	10.2%
General Partnerships	2,017	2,045	28	1.4%
Other	213	253	40	18.8%
Total	40,924	44,925	4,001	9.8%
Active Title 7 and Non-Title 7				
Total Active Entities	345,091	355,354	10,263	3.0%
Notes: * - State Business Licenses were not segregated by entity type until October, 2015. While the total number of Title 7 business licenses issued for each period is known, the number of corporation versus non-corporation business licenses issued was estimated using Annual and Initial list filings as a proxy.				